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Minutes of the Meeting

June 9th, 2021 - Monthly Meeting

Called to order @ 7:00pm

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call: 31 club members were present!

Minutes: Ed Harmon requested a motion to accept the minutes of the last meeting. A motion was made by Paul Shutes and Seconded by Steve VanAntwerp.

Treasurer Report: Brae Anderson gave the Treasury Report. It was accepted by Chad Smalley and Seconded by Robert Anderson. No one had any objections to the treasury report. A copy of the treasurer report was available at the meeting for anyone to view.

Operating – Starting \$1,217.31, **Income \$1,707.02, Expenses \$1694.71, Ending \$1,229.62.**

Youth Hunt- Starting \$12,646.13, **Income \$10,069.60, Expenses \$7,008.94, Ending \$15,706.79.**

Savings-2nd Quarter- Starting \$19,042.51, **Income- \$0.00, Expenses- \$0.00, Ending \$19,042.51.**

Old Business:

Welcome New Club Members- We had no New Club members just a couple renewals.

50/50- Last Month's 50/50 winner of \$56.00 was Ed Crocker. He donated the money back to the club. Thanks Ed!!!

Scholarships – The 2 Winners were

Michelle Flood- Her goal is to be working as a Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) in a local facility and hopefully working in Pediatrics. Leslie said that Michelle is a visionary, has worked for many years in her career path, and has all the skills

and passion necessary to obtain her goal. As she said in her application “I put my heart and soul in all that I do”.

Kennedy Torrent- Her goals after graduation are to work at a Data Analyst for the federal government and continue pursuing her master’s degree in Computer Science. Leslie said that Kennedy has the skills of hard work (physical and mental), organizational, critical thinking and problem solving to succeed in her goal.

Camp Mack Club Weekend- July 23-24-25- Call Camp Mack and get your reservation. They told Sam that we would use the Club House on Saturday for our dinner so please make sure that you bring a side dish. There are Cabins, Hotels and Camper sites available.

Bi-Laws- The Bi-laws are complete and have been emailed to all club members that I have an email for. If you did not get one, please let me know and I will get it to you asap.

4th of July Parade- The sign-up sheet was sent around the room for everyone to sign up to help build the Float and to help on the float the day of. Our Theme is going to be “Back the Blue”.

Skeet Shoot- Robert locked in the date of September 24th for the skeet shoot so we need Shooters and Station Sponsors. It will be at the Indian River Public Shooting Range and will be \$125.00 per shooter/\$500.00 4 player team. We will serve everyone lunch and there will be a trophy for 1st and 2nd place. Robert asked for a motion to purchase the AMMO through Bishop for \$5,000.00, it was seconded by Sindy Smith. A show of hands was in favor, motion passed.

30th Anniversary- We have tentatively locked in the Moose Lodge for our Banquet Dinner; Robert Gardiner will contact them to confirm the date and cost.

Secretary- We are looking to full the secretary position so if you are interested or know anyone who is please let us know. In the Meantime, Brae will continue to do both duties.

Soft Shell Tournament/ Fish & Turtle Fry- Saturday August 28th is the Tournament, all Turtle MUST be caught on a Fishing Pole. The Weigh in will be at Duck Camp (same place at Spec Tournament). It’s going to be a lot of fun so we hope that you will join us!

Events attended since the last meeting.

 **No Events attended since last meeting.**

New Business

4th of July Decorations- A motion is needed to purchase Decorations for the Float as well as stuff to hand out to the kids. Sindy Smith made the motion to spend up to \$500.00, it was seconded by Steve Hayes. A show of hands was in favor, motion passed!

Donation for FAA – FAA has asked all of the clubs to donate \$400.00 each to help out with the raffle donations. A motion was made by Chad Smalley and seconded by Justin Hearl. A show of hands was in favor, motion passed. Robert also got approval from his Youth Hunt Committee to also donate \$400.00 from the Youth Hunting fund.

Chad also wanted to let everyone (new members) know that the FAA is the Umbrella for all of the other clubs in the state and the money raised is used to pay the Lobbyist in Tallahassee to fight for our airboating rights.

Upcoming events:

- ✚ Float Work Days- Wed 30th- Thurs 1st and Fri 2nd @ Kernie's House
- ✚ **4th of July Parade**- Saturday July 3rd, 2021 – We need riders for the float.
- ✚ **Unity Weekend**- July 9th-11th- in Okeechobee
- ✚ **Camp Mack Weekend**- July 23,24,25th, 2021
- ✚ **Banquet 30th Anniversary** – August 7th, 2021
- ✚ **Soft Shell Tournament**- August 28th, 2021 (North Marsh) weigh-in & Turtle/Fish Fry @ Duck Camp.
- ✚ **Club Skeet Shoot**- September 25th, 2021

Open Discussion:

Robert Anderson- He wanted to let everyone know that FSCA was putting on a Skeet Shoot and was asking the clubs to be a \$200.00 station sponsor. The money raised is going to be used to make repairs at the Everglades Youth Camp (which we use for the youth gator hunts). Robert made the motion, it was seconded by Doug Flood. A show of hands was in favor, motion passed. Robert also got an approval from the Youth hunt committee to also donate \$200.00.

Sue Durling- She said that she would take the Sponsor list and start calling them to ask for Station Sponsors. Thanks Sue for taking on that task!

Sergeant Luke Keppel- He was at the meeting again and brought the newest member of his team Steven Hallfield- He said again that if we need anything to let him know and he will do what he can to help.

Meeting POT winner- Last month's winner of \$123.00 was Justin Hearl. Congratulations Justin! Justin donated the money back to the POT so it will still be 123.00 plus what we collect at the meeting. Remember you MUST Attend 2 consecutive meetings and put in your \$1.00 bill at each meeting.

Next Month's Meeting is Wednesday July 14th, 2021.

Meeting Adjourned 9:15pm